

February 12, 2008

Christopher T. Parana, Treasurer National Republican Congressional Committee 320 First Street Washington, DC 20003

Response Due Date: March 14, 2008

Identification Number: C00075820

Reference: Amended October Monthly Report (9/1/07-9/30/07), received 1/7/08

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 3 items:

- 1. Line 21(b) of the Detailed Summary Page of your report discloses a total of \$2,384,070.28 in Other Federal Operating Expenditures. The sum of the entries itemized on Schedule B, however, indicates the total to be \$2,395,155.28. Please amend your report to clarify the discrepancy.
- 2. Schedule B supporting Line 23 of your report discloses apparent in-kind contributions made on behalf of federal candidates. Separate entries are disclosed for each federal candidate receiving the in-kind services, and additional lump-sum entries are disclosed for the vendors providing those services. This method of reporting misstates your committee's activity by double counting the expenditures for in-kind contributions. Please be advised that in-kind contributions to federal candidates should be reported properly using the following method: payments to the vendor(s) should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 21(b) of the Detailed Summary Page, and the federal candidates receiving the in-kind services should be disclosed in separate non-memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23. Please amend your report accordingly.
- 3. Schedule B supporting Line 21(b) of your report discloses \$17,103.22 in